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## GOVERNMENT OF GOA

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##### Department of Personnel

##### Notification

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In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Goa, in consultation with the Goa Public Service Commission vide their letter No. COM/I/24/88 dated 18-1-1996, hereby makes the following rules so as to amend the Goa, Daman and Diu Civil Service Rules, 1967, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) These rules may be called the Goa Civil Service (Amendment) Rules, 1996.

(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from 18-7-1991.

2. **Amendment of rule 1.**—In rule 1 and in any other rules of the Goa, Daman and Diu Civil Service Rules, 1967 (hereinafter referred to as the 'principal Rules'),—

(i) in the long and short title, the figure and words "Daman and Diu" wherever they occur, shall be omitted;

(ii) for the word "Administrator", wherever it occurs, the word "Governor" shall be substituted.

3. **Amendment of rule 30.**—For rule 30 of the principal Rules, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"30, *Appointment to Senior Grade.*—(1) Appointment of members of the Service to the Senior Grade shall be made in consultation with the Commission on the basis of merit with due regard to seniority.

(2) An Officer with a minimum of eight years of service in the Junior Grade shall be eligible for being considered for appointment to the Senior Grade:

Provided that, service in a duty post or an equivalent or higher post under the Central Government, the Government of Goa or in State Civil Service shall be counted for computing the eight years period:

Provided further that where a person is considered for such appointment, all persons senior to him in the Junior Grade shall be considered irrespective of the fact whether or not they fulfil the requirements as to the minimum of eight years' Service".

4. **Amendment of rule 30 A.**—For rule 30 A of the principal Rules, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"30 A, *Appointment to Selection Grade.*—(1) Appointment of members to the Selection Grade shall be made by promotion on the basis of merit-cum-seniority on the recommendation of the Selection Committee, as laid down under Rule 13.

(2) An officer with a minimum of twelve years of regular service in the cadre including four years in the Senior Grade shall be eligible for being considered for promotion to the Selection Grade:

Provided that service rendered in a duty post or an equivalent or higher post under the Central Government, the Government of Goa or the erstwhile Union Territory of Goa, Daman and Diu or in a State Civil Service, shall be counted for computing the 12 years period:

Provided further that where a person is considered for such appointment, all persons senior to him in the Senior Grade shall also be considered irrespective of the fact whether or not they fulfil the requirement as to the minimum years of service.

(3) The crucial date for determining the eligibility of officers for promotion to the Selection Grade shall be 31st December of the year in which the vacancy has occurred".

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

S. S. Keshkamat, Joint Secretary (Personnel).

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